SATURDAY APRIL 18, 1878. An Old Fory on the Phonograph. He had for some time been reclining on his arm-chair in the hotel, with his eyes partly closed. We deemed him ssleep. An extinguished pipe was in his mouth, held between his teeth- by mere force of habit. He seemed a gentleman of the old school, a little careless as regards attire. He had been talking about the wonderful developments of the phonograph. Suddenly he straightened himself up, assumed a sitting position, opened his eyes, and spoke, at first profanely. "I'm done," said he; "I refuse to follow this thing up any longer. I've gone far enough in what you call progression and improve-ment. I stop right here. We've got talkment. I stop right here. We've got talking-machines enough now—too many by far. They're coming all the time. An invention which would stop people's talk would be of far more use. Good heavens! wasn't it enough that they wrote down everything they said and did, and left it in libraries to bere posterity and kill young children trying to learn their opinions, half of which they're all the time finding out to of which they're all the time finding out to be wrong? Hey! Look at that library! Been in this house forty years. Who reads it? Nobody. And now this miserable inventor comes along and claims that he's benefiting everybody by inventing a machine to make more talk. Now we're to have what every

fool idiot ass

numbskull says packed away in strips of tin-foil, and ground over and over into the ears of a bored and suffering posterity. No. sir, I'm done trying to keep up with the age. I don't believe in it.
We've got inventions enough. They only
make life more burdensome. There's too
much to learn; too much to try and keep
up with. I join Rev. Mr. Jasper's church. I don't believe the earth does go round the sun, and as for this phonograph preserving

idiots' voices, I'd hang the man who got it up, if I could!" We stole away from the old gentleman as quietly as possible. Evidently he was from the South, for as he turned partly around the polished butt of a Derringer was seen in one of his cabin-pockets .- New York

It seems a pity that a man should have been compelled to go through West Point just to be doorkeeper of the House thirty years afterward.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

FINANCIAL.

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE. FRIDAY, April 12, 1878. SALES .- 300 Richmond 8's at 117%; 20 shares Virginia Home Insurance Company at 98.

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American Gold.—100% bid.

State Securities.—Virginia consols, 60 bid, 61 asked; Virginia consols, new, 33 bid; Virginia deferred, 4½ bid, 4½ asked; Virginia tax-receivable coupons, 83%bid, 83% asked.

City Securities.—Richmond city 8's, 117½ bid; Richmond city 6's, 102 bid, 102% asked; Petersburg city 6's, 93 bid, 97% asked; Petersburg city 6's, 93 bid; Manchester 8's, 97 bid; Norfolk city 6's, 93 bid; Manchester 8's, 90 bid; Manchester 6's (tax-receivable), 91 asked.

Lynchburg city 6's, 97 hid; Norfolk city 6's, 93 bid; Manchester 8's, 90 bid; Manchester 8's (tax-receivable), 91 asked.

Raitroad Bonds.—Virginia Central Railroad first mortgage 6's, J. and J., 100 bid; Virginia Central Railroad third mortgage 6's, J. and J., 77 bid, 63 asked; Virginia Central Railroad fourth mortgage 8's, J. and J., 36 bid; Virginia Central Railroad non-mortgage 8's, J. and J., 86 bid; Virginia and Tennessee Railroad second mortgage 6's, J. and J., 86 bid. S8 asked; Virginia and Tennessee Railroad second mortgage 6's, J. and J., 91 bid; Southside Railroad fronded 8's, J. and J., 91 bid; Southside Railroad first mortgage preferred 8's, J. and J., 71 bid, 74 asked; Southside Railroad third mortgage preferred 6's, J. and J., 60 bid, 65 asked; Petersburg Railroad first mortgage 8's, J. and J., 60 bid; Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad first mortgage 8's, J. and D., 100 bid; Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad mortgage 8's, J. and J., 169 bid; Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad onsolidates 6's, M. and N., 72½ bid; Piedront Railroad first mortgage 8's, A. and O., 91 bid; Richmond, York River and Chesapeake Railroad and Steamboat 8's, J. and J., 80 asked.

Railroad Stocks.—Richmond and Petersburg Railroad, 100 tar, 31 bid; Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad seven per cent; guaranteed, 100 par, 80 bid; Richmond and Potomac Railroad, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad seven per cent; guaranteed, 100 par, 93 bid; Richmond and Potomac Railroad, 100 par, 2-bid, 3 asked.

**Bank Stocks.—First National, 100 par, 114 bid; **Bank Stocks.—First National, 100 par, 114 bid; **

mond and Danvine Raitroad, 100 par, 20 dd, 3 asked.

Bank Stocks.—First National. 100 par, 114 bid;
National Bank of Virginia, 100 par, 80 asked;
State Bank of Virginia, 100 par, 75 bid; Bank of Commerce, 25 par, 41½ bid, 43 asked; Merchants and Planters Savings, 25 par, 18½ bid; Citizens Bavings, 25 par, 20 asked.

Insurance Companies.—Virginia Fire and Marize, 25 par, 39 bid; Virginia State, 25 par, 28 bid; Virginia Home, 100 par, 97½ bid, 98 asked; Merchants and Mechanics, 100 par, 85 bid, 90 asked; City, 100 par, 78 bid; Granite Insurance Company, 100 par, 79½ bid, 90 asked.

Miscellaneous—Old Dominion Steamship Company, 100 par, 76 bid.

By Telegraph.

NEW YORK. April 12.—Gold opened at 100%.
Noon.—Stocks firm, with advance. Money on call,
7 per cent. Gold, 100%. Exchange—Long, 486%;
short, 489. State bonds dull. Governments active.
Evening.—Money easy at 5 per cent. Sterling,
486%. Gold weak at 100%@100%. Governments
active; new 5%, 104%. States dull. BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, April 12.—Virginia 6's, deferred, 4½; consolidated, 60½; second series, 31. North Carolina 6's old, 15; new, 8; special tax, 1. Bid

COMMERCIAL.

CORN AND FLOUR EXCHANGE. RICHMOND, April 12, 1878. OFFERINGS REPORTED TO SECRETARY. WHEAT .- White, 36 bushels. Red, 1.016 bush

SALES REPORTED TO SECRETARY. WHEAT.—White, 36 bushels very good at \$1.37.

Red, 50 bushels very good Fultz on private terms;
20 bushels mixed at \$1.33; 20 bushels common at
60c.; 200 bushels very good Fultz on private
terms; 32 bushels common at \$1.16; 494 bushels
Laneaster on private terms; 50 bushels mixed at
\$1.30; 100 bushels common Lancaster at \$1.25;
36 bushels prime Fultz at \$1.27—total, 1,002 bushels CORN.—White, 470 bushels prime at 55c.; 220 bushels prime at 55c.—total, 690 bushels.
OATS.—200 bushels good spring at 36c.

were taken in, and the remainder sold at prices ranging from \$2.80 to \$31.50. We continue to quote:

NEW DARK. Lugs.—Common to medium, \$1.50@\$2; medium *20 good, \$3@\$3.50. Leaf.—Common, \$4@\$5; medium, \$5@6; good, *26.50@\$7.50; fine, \$8@\$10. BRIGHT.

Lugs.—Common colory, \$3@\$4.
Fillers.—Common, \$4@\$5; medium, \$5@\$7;
good, \$7@\$10; fine, \$10@\$18.
Smokers.—Common, \$7@\$8.50; medium, \$9@.
\$11; good, \$10@\$13; fine, \$15@\$18; fancy, \$18 Wrappers.—Common, \$10@\$14; medium, \$15 @\$20; Rood, \$25@\$40; fine, \$50@\$55; fancy, \$60@\$65.

RICHMOND MARKETS. FRIDAY, April 12, 1878. Apples: Virginis and North Carolina, \$2.50@

24.50.

Beeswax: 23c. B D.

Butter: Prime to choice yellow, 25@27c.; fair to good. 15@20c.

Corn Meal: 60c. B bushel for country.

Dried Fruit: Apples. 8@4c. B D.; peaches. peeled. 7@8c.; unpeeled. 3@4kc.; cherries, 10@11c. B D.; blackberries, 6c.

Egas: in barrets, 9c. B dosen; in crates, 10c.

Feathers: Prime two-goose, 35@45c.; common. 25c.

Flaxseed: \$1 B bushel.

Hay: Virginia timothy, 70@85c.; clover, 70@75c.

Oats: Baled. 65@70c.

Potatoes: trish. B barret, \$1.25@\$1.50.

Oats: Baled. 65@70c.
Potatoes: trish. & harrel, \$1.25@\$1.50.
Lard: Country, 7@7%c.
Rye: 60c. & bushel
Seeds: Clover. \$5.75@\$6; trimothy, \$2@\$2.25;
Orchard-grass, \$1@\$1.25; herds-grass, \$1@\$1.25.
Sumac: 75c.@\$1.25. according to quanty.
Baled Straw: 40@45c.
Tallow: 6%c. & B.
Wool: Washed. \$0@33c.: unwashed. 20@23c.
Burry wool will bring from 3 to 5c. & D less than above rates.

Company, Livre. Plaster. &c.

Coment: Bosezeiale, \$1.65@\$1.75 % barrel; James River, \$1.50@\$1.70.

Lime: Agricultural, 10c. % bushel; Bockland, \$1.10@\$1.25. according to quantify.

Plaster: Lump, \$4@\$4.25; ground, \$7.50@\$8, delivered: calcined plaster, \$2@\$2.25.

Tar: Large size, \$3.25@\$3.50.

Concestogs. 6kg.: 10-4. Peperill. 27kc.: 10-4 City.

92kc.: Conton-yarns. 6l.

Bleached Shirtings and Sheetings.: 6-4 Wammuta, 11kc.: 4-4 Masonville. 9kc.: 4-4 Rockdale.

9c.: 4-4 Home, Digc.: 4-4 Oneida, 10c.: 4-4

Avondale, 7c.: 4-4 Social. 7c.: 4-4 Amoskeag.

9kc.: Whitestone. 9kc.: k Barnsley. 5kc.: 3 Red

Dog. 6c.: B. & Scittate. 7c.: Methan, 5c.: Peberborough. 5c.: 10-4 Waltham, 25c.: 10-4 City

Mills. 22kc. rborough, 5c.; 10-4 Wattiam, 200.; 10-2 Cit; illis, 22%c. Breum Drills: Patersburg, 6%c.; Graniteville, 5: Hockbridge, A. 8%c.; AA. 9c. Careet Jeans: Pavonia, 8c.; Amoskeag, 10c.; altered 9c. Corect Jeans: Pavonia, Sc.; American Mills, Sige. Prints: American, 5ige.; Allen's, 5ige.; Richmond, 5ige.; Sprague, 5c.; Manchester, 5ige.; Washington, 5ige.; Hamilton, 5ige.; Megrimack, 5ige.; Mallery, 6c.; Ursental, Pacific, 5ige.; Arnold, 5ige.; Harmony, 5c.; Wansutta, 4ige.

Cambrics: Rice, 5ige.; English, 5c.

Drugs, Dyestutts, Oils, &c. Atum: De. Alcohol: \$2.60 % gallon. Concentrated Lyc: \$3.50@\$4 % case of four

doren.
Copperas: 24c.
Cochineal: 90c. A B.
Extract of Loywood: 18c.
Indigo: \$1.10.
Madder: 125c.
Gils: Linseed. 75c.; machine, \$1@\$1.75: sperm.
\$2; Whale, 75c.; straits, 50@55c.; Labrador-cod
oil. 65@70c.; lard, 75c.; sweet, \$6 & dozen:
best salad, \$8.50: castor, \$1.40 % gallon: Virginis
lubricating, 30@50c.; kerosene, 16c., cash, B gallon.
Race Ginger: 12c.
Roots: Ginseng, 90c.; seneca, without top, 35@
45c. 15c. Sada: Sal., 24@21c., in kegs; English soda, 5c. American, 3%@4c.
Spirits Turpentine: 45c.

Foreign Fruits and Candy Candy: 13@14c. B. D. Lemons: Messina. \$4.50@\$5 B box. Oranges: Boxes, \$5@\$5.50; cases, \$10@\$13.

Bacon: Shoulders. 54,@5%:: clear rib-sides. 6%@7c.; ribbed. 6%c.; Virginia shoulders. 5%@6c.; Virginia hog-round. 7@7%c.; Virginia hams, large, 7%@8c.; small. 9@10c.; sugar-cured. uncanyased, 11c.; plam hams, 10%c. ginis hog-round. 7(27%c.; virgan lama larget, 1%28c.; small. 9(216c.; sugar-cured. uncanyased, 11c.; plain hams, 10%c.

Buckets: Painted. two hoops, \$1.40@\$1.50; three hoops, \$1.75@\$1.85.

Brooms: Two strings, \$1.40@\$1.60; three strings, \$1.75@\$3: four strings, \$3.43.60.

Coffee: Rio—Common. 15@15%c.; fair. 16@ 16%c.; good to prime 17@18%c.; Laguayra, 17@ 17%c.; Java, 28@30c.

Candles: Adamanune candles. 12%@13c. \$set; 16%@17c. \$B.b.: half-boxes. 13c.: tallow. 14c. \$neese: Prime cutting, 13c.; common, 10@11c.; Ehrlish dairy, 18@20c.; Pincapple, 25c.

Rice: Carolina. 7%@8c.; Rangoon. 6c.

Fish: Herrings—North Carolina No. 1 cut. \$4.50 @\$5; North Carolina cross. \$4.50@\$4.75; Eastern gross. \$2.50@\$3: North Carolina roe in half-var rels. \$4@\$4.50. Mackerel—No. 1 Bay, \$15@\$17: No. 2. in barrels, \$9.50@\$10; No. 3 mackerel. \$7.50@\$8: No. 1. in kits. \$2.50; No. 2. 1n kits. \$2; No. 3. \$1.50. Mess shad, in kits. \$3.

Lard: Prime. barrels and tierces, 8%@8%c. in

88: No. 1. in kits. \$2.50; No. 2. in kits. \$2; No. 3. \$1.50. Mess shad, in kits. \$3. Lard: Prime. barrels and tierces, 8½@6½c. in half-barrels, 9@9½c. Mouasses: Common syrup—Horsheads. 24c.; tierces, 25c.: barrels, 26c.: genuine goisen syrup, 45@55c. 3 gallon; New Orleans, princ. 40@55c. Satt: Liverpool, from store. \$1.35. Ground alum. from store, 85c. \$ sack. Suaar: Crushed. 11½c.: bowdered. 10½c.; grannlated. 10½c.: A. 9½@9½c.; B. 9c.: extra C. 8½@9c.: yellow. 8@8½c.; cut loaf. 11c., Porto Rico. Demerara. 10@10½c.
Soap: Common. 5@7c.; best washing, 7½@8c.; tollet. 15@20c.: and fancy prices: country, 4@bc. Tras: Black. 55c.@\$1.—the last a prime aracle: imperial, \$1.10@\$1.60; gunpowder. \$1.45@1.75 for strictly choice.

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Hides: Green. 4@5c.; dry saited. 12@13c.; dry flint. 14@16c.; wer saited, 7%@8c.; wer saited calf-skins, \$1.15@\$1.35.

Leather: Sole leather. oak, 33@40c.; sole leather hemlock. 18@25c.; country upner. 30@50c.; city flush, 18@25c.; 2 loot; kip, 40c.@\$1 % b.; harnes, country, 28@33; city flush. 32@38c. % b.; saif-skins, French. \$1.15@\$2.25 % b.; rough skiring, 26@30c.

26@30c.

Iron. Steel. Nails. &c.

Iron. American reined. Old Dominion. 2 1-10
@2 8-10c. & fb.; English and American sheet, 3@
5c.; Swedes, kammered, 5½c.; hoop, 4@6; Pigiron: Virginia coal-blast charcoal. \$28@\$32
warm-blast charcoal. \$24@\$28; Pennsylvania anthracite, \$20@\$22; West Virginia coke, \$21@\$23.
Nails: Old Dominion, \$2.60 per keg for standsq-that is. ten-penny; other sizes extra.

Plough-Castings: Wholesale, 4@4½c.; retail,
5%@6c. & fb.

6%@6c. 73 lb.

**Roys: Manilla. best. 14@15c.: jute, 8@9c.

**Rays: Mixed cotton, 2%c.; white, 4c.; weollen, 4@1%c. Lumber. Staves. &c. Lumber: White oak, \$12@\$15 \$3 1.000: Western Irrinia poplar, \$12.50@\$25 \$3 1.000; white pine 20@\$65 \$3 1.000 vellow pine boards, \$10@\$14; straights, \$12@\$18, according to lengths, Shingles—line, \$2.50@\$5; cypress six-inch, \$7.50@\$10 1.000, Laths—Split, \$1.50; sawed, \$2.25@\$2.51,000.

.000.
Staves: Whiskey-barrel timber.green.\$18@\$20\$
.000; seasoned. \$20@\$25 \$ 1,000. Flour-barre.
imber, \$6@\$7.50 \$ 1,000. Flour-barrel poles,\$7
28: hogshead-hoops, no demand; hickory-hoops.

Licorice Paste: J. C. & Co., 31c.: R. R., 23c.; A. O. C., 23c.; ft. & Co., 24c.; P. S., 25c.; Anchor 27c.: A. C. C., 26c.: G. y G., 28c.; G. C. Eagle 29c.; c. c. W., 19c.; no brand, 17c. Ale: Scotch, best brands, pints \$2@42.25

dozen gold:

Brandies: Domestic. \$1.25@\$2: fruit. \$1.10@\$

\$1.40: apple. new. \$1.75@\$2: old, \$2.25@\$3:

Virginia peach. \$2@\$2.50.

Rye Whiskeys: Medium. \$1.50@\$2: pure old. \$2.

@\$4: Virginia mountain, new. \$2@\$2.50, .ld.

\$2.50@\$3.50 and upwards.

Gin: Domestic. \$1.25@\$2: imported. \$8 \$2 case

New England Ram: \$1.50@\$1.60. Rectified Whiskeys: Market quiet; proof, \$1.20. Powder, Shot, &c. Fuse: Toy's mining, 35c.@\$1.25 \$ 100 feet Powder: \$5.75 by the five kegs—less than five tegs, \$6.25; blasting, \$3.25@\$3.50. Shot: Northern, \$2.10@\$2.25 \$ bag of 25 bs. Grindstones: 14@24c. \$ ib. Mill-Feed.

Shipstuff: 35@40c. 3 bushel; \$20 3 ton. Brownstuff: 27@30c. 3 bushel; \$20 3 ton. Wheat Bran: 20@25c. 3 bushel; \$20 3 ton. Corn Bran: 17c. per bushel; \$15@\$18 3 ton.

NEW YORK.

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NEW YORK, April 12.—Cotton quiet and steady; uplands, 10%c.; Orleans, 10%c. Flour slightly in buyers' favor, with very limited trade; superfine western and State, \$4.10@\$4.75; common to good extra western and State, \$5@\$5.75, closing dult; southern flour—common to fair extra, \$5@\$5.75; good to choice, \$5.80@\$7.75. Wheat ½@lc. lower, with rather quiet and very moderate export and limited city milling demand; \$1.34@\$1.45 for No. 2 winter red; \$1.40 for No. 1 white. Corn a shade easier and fair demand; 43@52½c. for ungraded western mixed; 56c. for yellow southern; 51½c. for white southern. Oats a shade firmer, but not active. Coffee—Rio steady. Sugar quiet and unchanged; refined fair business; 9½c. for standard A. Molasses steady, with moderate demand; New Orleans, 23@31½c. Rice unchanged, with moderate inquiry. Petroleum dull; refined, 11½c. Turpentine steady. Pork steady; mess, \$9.85@\$10. Lard steady and active; prime steam, \$7.37½@\$7.50. Whiskey firmer; held at \$1.08. Freights firm. Rosin scarcely so firm at \$1.57½@\$1.62½.

BALTIMORE. BALTIMORE.
BALTIMORE, April 12.—Flour dull and easier;
Howard-Street and western superfine, \$4.084.50;
extra, \$4.75@\$5.50; family, \$5.75@\$6.75; Cily
Mills superfine, \$4.25@\$4.75; extra, \$5.25@
\$5.75; Rio brands, \$6.75; Patapsco family, \$7.75.
Southern wheat steady and firm; western a snade
lower, closing firm: southern red, \$1.20@\$1.34;
amber, \$1.35@\$1.37; Pennsylvania red, \$1.32@
\$1.34; No. 2 western winter red, on spot and April,
\$1.29\$@\$1.30; May, \$1.30\$@\$1.31. Southera
corn dull; western steady and firm; southern
white, 50@52c. Oats quiet and easy, Rye dull;
new, 60@62c. Provisions quiet, with fair jobbing
trade. Coffee dull and nominally steady. Whiskey
a shade better at \$1.06@\$1.06%. Sugar active at

a shade better at \$1.06@\$1.06%. Sugar active at CINCINNATI.

LOUISVILLE. April 12.—Flour dull; extra. \$3.75 @\$4: family, \$6.25@\$6.50. Wheat, corn, and oats dull and unchanged. Bye steady. Pork quiet and firm at \$10@\$10.25. Lurd quiet; choice leaf, tierce. 7%@\$c.; keg. 8½@8½c. Bulk-meats steady. Bacon quiet and firm. Whiskey steady at \$1.02. Tobacco quiet and unchanged.

ST. LOUIS. ST. LOUIS, April 12.—Flour unchanged. Wheat—No. 3 red fall, \$1.12½@\$1.13½; No. 4 red fall, \$1.06½ bid; No. 2 spring, \$1.07½ bid. Corn, 37½@ 38c. Oats firmer at 26c. Rye quiet at 61½c. Barley dull and unchanged. Whiskey, \$1.03. Porkdull; jobbing, \$9.35@\$9.40. Lard firmer at \$6.90. Bulk-meats dull; short-rib middles, \$6.80. Bacon dull and unchanged.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Flour nominally unchanged.
Wheat dull and lower: No. 1 Chicago spring, \$1.10;
No. 2 Chicago spring, \$11 edge, \$1.08\(\preceq\) \$1.08\(\preceq\);
regular, \$1.07 bid cash, \$1.08\(\preceq\) \$1.08\(\preceq\);
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\$1.07\(\preceq\) \$1.07\(\preceq\) bid cash, \$1.08\(\preceq\) \$1.08\(\preceq\) \$1.02\(\preceq\) \$2.07\(\preceq\) \$1.02\(\preceq\) \$40c.; regular, \$8c. cash, \$1\(\preceq\) \$2.00\(\preceq\) \$1.02\(\preceq\) \$40c.; regular, \$8c. cash, \$1\(\preceq\) \$2.00\(\preceq\) \$1.02\(\preceq\) \$40c.; regular, \$8c. cash, \$1\(\preceq\) \$2.00\(\preceq\) \$40c.; regular, \$8c. cash, \$1\(\preceq\) \$2.00\(\preceq\) \$40c. Pork in good demand and lower; \$8.90\(\preceq\) \$9.5\(\preceq\) \$1.000\(\preceq\) bushels; corn, \$231,000\(\preceq\) bushels; wheat, \$9.00\(\preceq\) bushels; corn, \$8.000\(\preceq\) bushels; wheat, \$9.00\(\preceq\) bushels; corn, \$8.000\(\preceq\) bushels; wheat, \$9.00\(\preceq\) bushels; corn, \$8.000\(\preceq\) bushels; barley, \$1,000\(\preceq\) bushels; \$1.08\(\preceq\) \$40c. \$40c.\(\preceq\) \$1.000\(\preceq\) bushels; barley, \$1,000\(\preceq\) bushels; \$1.08\(\preceq\) \$40c.\(\preceq\) \$40c CHICAGO.

els. Afternoon Board. — Wheat easier; \$1.081@ \$1.08% May, \$1.07% June. Corn dult and weak at 40%c: May, \$1%c. June. Outs easier and %c. lower. Pork quiet and weak at \$8.87% \$5.90 May, \$9 bid June. Lard quiet and unchanged.

COMPARATIVE COTTO N STATEMENT.

New York. April 12.—The fellowing is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending April 12th: Net receipts at all United States ports during the week. 51.622 bales; net receipts at all United States ports during the week. 51.622 bales; net receipts at all United States ports during the week. 51.622 bales; net receipts at all United States ports during the week. 51.622 bales; net receipts at all United States ports same week last year. \$1.500431.70.

Medical Comparative cotton statement for the week ending April 12th: Net receipts at all United States ports same week last year. \$1.500431.70.

Medical Comparative cotton statement for the week ending April 12th: Net receipts at all United States ports same week last year. \$2.091 bales; total receipts to this date. \$3.550431.75 parrel; James year. \$2.091 bales; total receipts to same date last year. \$2.091.89 bales; exports for the same week last year. \$3.550.

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Medical Comparative cotton statement for the week ending April 12th: Net receipts to the comparative cotton states ports for the same week last year. \$3.550.

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Medica COMPARATIVE COTTO N STATEMENT.

AUCTION SALES-This Day. By E. B. Cook, Auctioneer, No. 20 Governor street.

THIS DAY AT 10 O'CLOCK I WILL Tasil at the horse-lot One HLACK HORSE, One HLACK HORSE, The horse is genile and reliable, and the bugg; very little used.

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Auctioneer.

By George S. Vashon & Son, Auctioneers, No. 7 Tenth street.

OT, WITH NEW BRICK HOUSE THEREON, ON HOLLY (OR HIGH) STREET, NEAR PINE STREET, DESIGNATED AS NO. 626 HOLLY (OR HIGH) STREET, The LOT has a front of 15 by 90 feet; the HOUSE has four rooms, is well built and in good order. At the request of the Richmond Building and Improvement Company we will sell, at public auction, on the premisers, on FRIDAY, April 12, 1878, at 4% o'clock P. M., the above-described property. The company is closing up business, and this being the only piece of property uusold, they are determined to sell, even at a great sacrifice, and all desirous of investing in real estate should attend this sale, as doubtless a great bargain will be obtained.

TERMS: Liberal, and will be announced at sale.

GEORGE S. VASHON & SON,
Auctioneers.

POSTPONEMENT. The above sale is postnoned until SATURDAY, April 13, 1878, at 5 o'clock P. M., at which time it will positively take place.
GEORGE S. VASHON & SON, By E. W. Powell, Auctioneer.

CLOSING SALE OF STOCK OF STOVES, TINWARE &C.

On SATURDAY, 13th, at 9 o'clock, I will close out the remainder of my stock of STOVES and TINWARE. Included in the stock are several excellent COCKING-STOVES, RANGES, and a general assortment of TINWARE.

The attention of housekeepers is invited to the rale, as the goods will be sold in lots to suit.

CHARLES E. SCHERER.

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COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF THE
UNICE DETACHED FRAME HOUSE NO.
412 TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET, BETWEEN
MARSHALL AND CLAY STREETS (WEST
SIDE), AT AUCTION—In pursuance of a decree
of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond entered on the 28th day of February, 1878. In a suit
styled Cannon vs. Duggan, therein pending, we, the
undersigned. appointed special commissioners by
said decree, will offer for sale at public auction, on
THURSDAY the 16th day of April, 1878. at 6
o'clock P. M., the HOUSE and LOT above described.
The house contains about five rooms, besides wing
and outside kitchen, has only been erected a few
years, is in thorough repair, and will at all times
command a fair rental. The lot has a front of 33
feet and runs back 125 feet, and has on it an excellent well of water.

TERMS: One-third cash: residue at four, eight,
and twelve months—the purchaser to give negotiable rotes, with legal interest added, and the title to
be retained until all the purchase money is paid and
a conveyance ordered by the court.

W. J. MAYO,
J. PRESTON COCKE,
Special Commissioners.

By J. L. Apperson, COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF THE

By J. L. Apperson,

Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer.

THE BEAUTIFUL LOT AT THE SOUTH-WEST CORNER OF Q. (OR VENABLE) AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREETS.—By virtue of a deed of trust to the undersigned, dated the 23d day of March, 1876, from T. C. Howard, duly recorded in the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, in Deed-Book 107 C. page 320, default having been made, and being thereto required by the beneficiary, I will sell, on the premises, on FRIDAY, April 12. 1878, at 4% o'clock P. M., the above-described LOT OF LAND (as a whole, or divided, as may be deemed best), fronting 158 feet 9 inches on the south side of Q (or Venable) street, running back 130 feet to an alley 16 feet wide; bounded on the east by Twenty-sixth street.

TERMS: Whilst the deed requires cash as to the debt, it is confidently believed that arrangements will be made by which the usual terms may be announced at the sale.

JOHN DUNLOP, Trustee. TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE OF

POSTPONEMENT. By consent of the parties interested the above sale is postponed to MONDAY, 22d April. 1878, at the same hour.

JOHN DUNLOP, ap 13

Trustee.

By W. Goddin, Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer. corner of Eleventh and Bank streets.

TERY VALUABLE LOT ON THE VEKT VALUABLE LOT ON THE NORTH SIDE OF MAIN BETWEEN SIXTH AND SEVENTH STREETS, EAST OF THE ARLINGTON HOUSE. FOR SALE AT AUCTION.—Will be sold at auction, on the premises, on WED-NESDAY the 17 in of April, 1878, at 5 o'clock P. M., that VERY VALUABLE LOT located as above, fronting 30% feet, running bick 153 feet to an alley. This is really a most desirable lot, suitable for a residence or store.

W. GODDIN, Anctioneer.

By Frank D. Hill, Real Estate Auctioneer and Agent, 1108 Main street.

HANDSOME BUILDING LOTS ON HANDSOME BUILDING LOTS ON CHERRY AND LINDEN STREETS, CORNER OF CUMBERLAND, FOR SALE AT AUCTION.—At the request of the owner I will offer for sale at auction on THURSDAY, April 18, 1878, on the premises, at 5 o'clock P. M., GNE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOUR FEET OF GROUND, running back 150 feet to an alley 15 feet wide, on the northwest corner of Cherry and Cumberland streets. west corner of Cherry and Camberland streets.
Also, SIXTY FEET on the southeast corner of Linden and Cumberland streets, and adjoining Tur-ner's flower-garden.
These lots are the best in that locality, are beauti-fully located, and will be divided to suit the views of purchasers.
TERMs: Very reasonable—one third cash: balance in six and twelve months, six per cent. added.
ap 8 FRANK D. HILL, Auction er.

By J. Thompson Brown, Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer. 1113 Main street.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF HOUSE OAND LOT ON BALDWIN STREET, FRONT-ING ON CHESAPEARE AND UHIO RAILROAD. AND SEVEN BUILDING-LOTS ON VENABLE, BUCHANAN, AND CARRINGTON STREETS.— BUCHANAN, AND CARRINGTON STREETS.—
By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the
city of Richmond, entered June 26, 1875, in suit of
Hagan vs. Hagan's Administrator et als., the undersigned, special commissioner thereby appointed,
will sell at public auction, on the premises, on
TUESDAY. April 16th, at 5 o'clock P. M.—
1st. The FRAME BUILDING and LOT on Baldwin street, several yards west of the Chesapeake and
Ohio railroad, and fronts on said street 86 feet 6
inches, and between parallel lines 48 feet 10
inches.

of 120 feet to a twelve-foot alley.
3d. LOT No. 2. on Venable street, near the residence of James M. Tyler. Esq. (City Sergeant); has a front of 28 feet and depth of 120 feet to a twelvea front of 28 feet and depth of 120 feet to a twelvefoot alley running to Carrington street.
4th. LOT No. 1, on Carrington street, has a front
of 42 feet, and running back between parallel lines
210 feet.
The sale will commence on Venable street and
end with frame dwelling and lot on Baldwin street.
TERMS: One fourth cash; balance in negotiable
notes of six, twelve, and eighteen months, interest
added, and title retained until all the purchasemoney is paid and deed ordered by the court.
A. M. KEILEY,

J. THOMPSON BROWN, Auctioneer.

By J. Thompson Brown,

Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer.

1113 Main street. TRUSTEE'S SALE OF TWO BRICK
STORES AND A LARGE JUNK-SHOP ON
BROOK AVENUE NEAR BROAD STREET.—
By virtue of a deed of trust executed by L. Dwyer
and wife, dated September 24, 1875, recorded in
Richmond Chaucery Court, D. B. 106 C, p. 245, to
secure to the holder a certain note thereta mentioned, and dofault having been made in payment of
said note, and being requested by the beneficiary so
to do, I, as trustee in said deed, will proceed, in part
execution thereof, to sell at public auction, on the
premises, on MONDAY, 22d April, at 5 o'clock P.
M., a portion of the estate described in said deed, as
follows: "All that certain piece or parcet of land,
with improvements thereon and appurtenances
thereto belonging, lying and being in the city of
Richmond, on west side of Brook avenue south of
Marshall street, and bounded as follows—to wit:
Fronting on the said west side of Brook avenue 104
feet 10 inches, and running back on its northern side
112 feet 4 inches, and on its southern side 48 feet 4
inches, to an alley 20 feet wide, fronting on said
alley 72 feet 3 inches." The improvements consist
of TWO NEAT AND DESIRABLE BRICK
STORES, with dwellings above, and a large JUNKSHOP.

TERMS (by consent of all parties): One fourth

SHOP.
TERMS (by consent of all parties): One fourth cash; balance in six, twelve, and eighteen months.
L. R. BROWN, Trustee.
J. THOMPSON BROWN, Auctioneer. ap 12 By E. B. Cook, Auctioneer.

INTENDING TO DISCONTINUE MY PRESENT BUSINESS, I will offer at auction on TUESDAY, April 16th, at 10½ o'clock, the stock on hand—
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ROE HERRINGS, LIVERPOOL SALT,
BROOMS, SHOW-CASE, SCALES, &C., &C.
TERMS: Bills under \$50, cash; \$50 and over,

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R. E. ARMSTRONG,
ap 12 504 east Marshall street. By Richardson & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, 1113 Main street.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VALUABLE STORE. FRAME DWELLING. AND
LARGE GARDEN-LOT A TTACHED, ON
CHURCH MILL, BY AUCTION.—By virtue of a
decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered on the 6th day of May. 1876, in the
suit of Peay vs. Peay and others, therein depending.
I shall, as special commissioner appointed by said
accree, sell by auction, on the premises, on TUESDAY the 16th of April, 1878, at 5 o'clock P. M.,
the real estate mentioned in the decree aforesaid,
consisting of a VALUABLE STORE, FRAME
DWELLING, with five or six rooms, and a LARGE
GARDEN-LOT attached, on the west side of Thirtieth street, corner M or Mason street.

TERMS: One fourth cash; balance in four, eight,
and twelve months, negotiable notes given for the
deferred payments, with interest added and title retained until the whole purchase-money is paid and
a conveyance ordered by the Caurt.

JAMES PLEASANTS,
ap 10
Special Commissioner.

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DWELLINGS in the plan of Arington,
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SALE OF THE ELEGANT MANSION SITUATED ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF GRACE AND FIFTH STREETS,

RESIDENCE OF ABRAHAM WARWICK, DE-CEASED, NOW OCCUPIED BY GEORGE LEE, ESQ.

In pursuance of the previsions of a deed of trust, dated the 11th day of October, 1875, from Peter C. Warwies and wife to us, to secure the payment of certain notes described in said deed of trust, we will.

Warwick and wife to us, to secure the payment of certain notes described in said deed of trust, we will, on MONDAY the 29th day of April next, at 5 o'clock P. M., on the premises, sell at public auction, all that LOT, PIECE, OR PARCEL OF LAND lying at the southeast intersection of Fifth and Grace streets, fronting on Grace street 88 feet, more or less, and running back 150 feet, more or less, to an allev.

This property, for its location, construction, and finish, and in all other respects, is one of the host elevant and desirable private residences in this city. Terms: Cash for an amount sufficient to defray the expenses of executing this trust and to pay off a note for \$750, with costs of protest and interest from the 14th day of October, 1877, till paid; also a note for \$750, with interest from the 14th day of April, 1878; the payments of \$750 each—the first payable October 14, 1878, the other four at Intervals of six months thereafter; the sum of \$15,000 to be paid on the 14th October, 1880; the residue to be paid at such period and upon such terms as shall be annonneed at the time of sale—all deferred payments to be secured by deed of trust on the property. GEORGE A. BARKSDALE, P. H. GIBSON,

WILLIAMS & GIBSON, Auctioneers. Trustees. By Frank D. Hill, Real Estate Auctioneer and Agent, 1108 Main street.

VERY DESIRABLE BRICK DWELL-VERY DESIRABLE BRICK DWELL-VING NO. 13 EAST GRACE STREET, NOW OCCUPIED BY MR. A. M. BAILEY, AT AUCTION. On WEINNESDAY, 17th April, on the premises, at 5 o'clock P. M., at the request of the owner, I will offer for sale at auction the very desirable property located as above described. The HOUSE contains twelve rooms, and kitchen with four rooms; marble mantels in principal rooms, gas fixtures, bath, &c.; folding doors on principal floors. The house is three stories and basement. Iron veranda in front and high porch in rear. The location of this property is very desirable and should make it attractive to parties desirops of purchasing a nice swelling.

THE TERMS will be liberal, and announced on day of sale.

FRANK D. HILL.

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Auctionece. By Richardson & Co., Real Esta'e Agents and Auctioneers.

1113 Main street. COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF NINE VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS ON THE NORTH LINE OF MAIN STREET BETWEEN JEFFERSON AND MADISON STREETS BY AUCTION.—By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the civy of Richmond entered on the 29th day of June. 1876, in the suit of Walker and wife vs. Bayly, &c., we shall, as special commissioners thereby appointed, sell by auction, on the premises, on FRIDAY the 19th day of April, 1878, at 44 o'clock P.-M., NINE VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS, three of which front 27 feet each and six 26 feet each, and run bock between parallel lines 155 feet to an alley in the rear twenty feet wide, on the north side of Main street between Jefferson and Madison streets.

Parties wanting to buy cannot do better than to invest in these lois. They possess all the advantages of location to be desired, and are by far more convenient to the business centre than many other lots for which there seems to be a greater demand. Being anxious to wind up this estate, great inducements

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JOHN H. GUY,

ALEXANDER Q. HOLLADAY,

Commissioners.

By Richardson & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, 1113 Main street.

Ohio railroad, and fronts on said street 86 feet 6 inches, and between parallel lines 48 feet 10 inches.

2d. LOTS Nos. 1, 4, 5, 6, and 7, on Buchanan street, between Venable and Carrington streets. Lot No. 1 has a front of 38 feet; Nos. 4, 5, and 6, 26 feet cach; and lot No. 7, corner of Carrington and Buchanan, 30 feet. All of said lots have a depth of 120 feet to a twelve-foot alley.

1 said deed, default having been made in the paylong the paylong directed so to do by the holder of said note, 1 shall sell by public auction, on the premises, on FRIDAY, April 19th, at 50 clock P. M., the PROPERTY described in said deed, default having been made in the paylong directed so to do by the holder of said note, and being directed so to do by the holder leet wide, on which there is a comfortable FRAME DWELLING-HOUSE with seven rooms, with front and back porches.

TERMS: Sufficient in cash to pay all expenses of executing this trust and to pay off a certain note secured in said deed for \$1.400; balance on such terms as may be made known at the time of sale.
N. M. LEE, Trustee.

Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers. No. 1200 Main street.

NORTH SIDE OF THIRD STREET BETWEEN LEIGH AND JACKSON STREETS.—In execution of a certain deed of trust from the trustees of the Third-Street African Methodist Episcopal church to the undersigned, dated February 29, 1876, duly recorded in the clerk's office of the Richmond Chancery Court, I shall, being required by the holder of one of the notes therein secured, default having been made in the payment of the same, sell at public auction, on the premises, on MONDAY, April 15th, at 5 o'clock P. M., the REAL ESTATE, conveyed by sald deed of trust above described. at 5 o'clock P. M., the REAL ESTATE, conveyed by said deed of trust above described.

TERMS: Sufficient in eash to pay costs of sale and three notes of \$452.32 each, past due, with accrued interest thereon, and eight notes for \$452.32 each, with increst from February 29, 1876, and payable respectively at 30, 36, 42, 48, 54, 60, 66, and 72 months from their dates; balance upon such terms as may be announced at sale.

GECRGE H. POINDEXTER.

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Trustee.

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C. H. PAGE. ap 2

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STATE OF VIRGINIA.

The undersigned, appointed commissioners for the purpose by an act of the General Assembly approved March 6, 1878, will receive SEALED PROPOSALS TILL JUNE 1, 1878, LEASE OF THE PENITENTIARY OF VIRGINIA Any one desiring to submit a proposal will be furnished with specifications on application to the Secretary of the Commonwealth. The lease will be for not less than three nor more than seven years.

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THROUGH MAIL TRAIN DAILY.

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No. 1-8:30 A. M., leaves Richmond; arrives at Burkeville 11:02 A. M., Sutherille 2:35 P. M., Danville 3:12 P. M., Greensporo 5:15 P. M., Salispary 7:35 P. M., and Charlotte 9:42 P. M., and Charlotte 9:42 P. M., No. 2-6:17 A. M., leaves Charlotte; arrives at Salisbury 8:29 A. M., Greensboro' 10:32 A. M., Danville 12:37 P. M., Sutherlin's 1:23 P. M., Burkeville 5:07 P. M., and Richmond 7:45 P. M., THROUGH PASSENGER TRAIN DAILY. THROUGH PASSENGER TRAIN DAILY.

1:05 P. M. ACCOMMODATION daily (except sindsy). Passengers taking this train will make close connection at Petersburg for Norfolk, and at Norfolk with splendid Bay-line steamers for Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York, and with the Old Dominion steamers for Saltimore, Philadelphia, and New York, and with the Old Dominion steamers for New York.

4:15 P. M., FREIGHT daily (except Sunday), with conchattached.

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Pullman palace drawing-room and sleeping-ears
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> over checks will be given.
> T. M. R. TALCOTT.
> General Superintendent.
> JOHN R. MACMURDO, General Passenger Agent. GENERAL PASSENGER DEPARTMENT, March 1, 1878. THESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAIL-

> Local tickets are good only for a continuous passage between the points named on the tickets. No lav-

CROAD .- On and after MARCH 3, 1878, pas-WESTWARD. Arrive at Greenwood. 3:10 P. M. Arrive at Staunton. 4:20 P. M. Arrive at Goshen. 6:17 P. M. Arrive at Goshen. 6:17 P. M. Arrive at Millboro'. 6:43 P. M. Arrive at White Sulphur. 10:23 P. M. Arrive at White Sulphur. 10:23 P. M. Arrive at Fort Spring. 11:32 P. M. Arrive at Gulnnimont. 1:30 A. M. Arrive at Quinnimont. 2:55 A. M. Arrive at Gametton. 5:40 A. M. Arrive at Charleston. 7:22 A. M. Arrive at Charleston. 7:22 A. M. Arrive at Huntington. 10:00 A. M. Arrive at Huntington. 10:00 A. M. Arrive at Charleston.

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ginia Midland railroad, arriving at Lynchburg at 5:15 P. M., connecting closely with Atlantic, Mississippi and Ohio railroad for the Southwest.

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SCHEDULE OF TRAINS.
COMMENCING MAY 21, 1877. THROUGH PASSENGER.

8:00 P. M. Leaves Richmond TUESDAY, THURS-DAY, and SATURDAY. Connects at West Point with steamer Havana for all points on York river and Balti-more. Arrives in Baltimore at S.A. M.; connects with rail-lines for Wash-ington, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, and all western points. Connects at Richmond with trains on Richmond and Petersburg and Chesapeake and Ohlo railroads. Ohio railroads.
THROUGH FREIGHT.
6:00 A. M. Leaves Richmond MONDAY, WED NESDAY, and FRIDAY; and
TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SAT-URRDAY. Connects with steamers at West Point for river landings, Baltimore, and all western points. Connects at Richmond with trains on Richmond and Danville railroad.Richmond and Detershure, and Chesapeake and

and Petersburg, and Chesapeake and Ohio ratiroads. LOCAL PASSENGER. 3:00 P. M. Leaves Richmond daily (except Sun-THROUGH PASSENGER.

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10:00 A. M. Arrives at Richmont TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY. Connects with trains on Richmond and Potersburg and Chesapeake and Ohlo rallroads. Steamer Havana leaves Baltimore from Pier 144 Light street MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and Fill-DAY, at 4 P. M. Connects with trains from Philadelphia, New York, and western points, and at West Point with trains for Richmond and the South. THROUGH FREIGHT.

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4:00 P. M. Arrives at Richmond MONDAY.WED-NESDAY, and FRIDAY; and
6:15 P. M. TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SAT-URDAY. Connects with steamer at West Point from Baltimore. Connects with Richmond and Danville, Richmond and Petersburg, and Chesapeake and Ohio rallroads. LOCAL PASSENGER. 10:00 A. M. Arrives at Richmond daily except Sun-day. Connects with Richmond and Petersburg and Chesapeake and Ohio No transfer of freight at Richmond to or from

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SCHEDULE OF TRAINS. On and after SUNDAY, 11th instant, trains will

On and after SUNDAY, 11th instant, trains will run on this pead as follows:
7:45 A. M eaves the Byrd-Street station daily (except Sunday); due at Washington at 1:10 P. M.; Baltimore at 3:10 P. M.; Philadelphia at 6:50 P. M.; New York at 10:15 P. M.
8:00 P. M. leaves Byrd-Street station daily, arriving at Washington at 1:27 A. M.; Baltimore at 3:20 A. M.; Philadelphia at 6:40 A. M.; New York at 9:35 A. M. Through sleeper from Richmond to New York; price of berth, \$2. A. M.; Through sleeper from Richmond to New York; price of berth, \$2. Au.; Commond to New York; price of berth, \$2. Au.; Commond to New York; price of berth, \$2. Au.; Commond to New York; price of berth, \$2. Au.; Commond to New York at 6:30 the praceding evening; Baltimore at 12:55 A. M.; Washington at 2:47 A. M.
10:55 P. M. arrives at Byrd-Street station daily (except Sunday). Leaves New York at 8:15 A. M.; Philadelphia at 12:05 P. M.; Baltimore at 4:30 P. M.; Washington at 6:10 P. M.
8:55 A. M. ACCOMMODATION TRAIN arrives at Broad-Street station daily (Sundays excepted).

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